



UNITED STATES NAVY

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Hello "Doc",

I meant to write to you sooner, but I just got squared away here and didn't find time till now. In case I have missed out on this edition of the "Rebounds" because you didn't know my address, I'd really appreciate it if you would send me one now. I really get a boot out of reading them and finding out what the rest of the boys are doing all over the world.

I don't expect to be here very long; in fact, I believe I will be leaving sometime during the next two weeks for midshipman's school either at Columbia or Northwestern, preferably Northwestern. There are 3700 graduates of the first V-12 class here waiting for midshipman schools to open. The chief of our barracks told us that we would be leaving with the first bunch out of here; I sure hope he knows what he is talking about.

We are rather fortunate that we did get to come here before going on to school. Everything we learn here is from the practical point of